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In re Application of :
Ricardo Guimaraes :
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed April 8, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner in reply to the non-final Office action mailed September 3, 2002, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on December 4, 2002.

This application is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 3742 for further processing.

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